and General News Notes.

Senate, in executive session:

have been granted:

MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS.

EVENTS AND INCIDENTS THAT HAVE

LATELY OCCURRED.

An Interesting Summary of the More Im-

portant Doings of Our Neighbors-Wed-

dings and Deaths - Crimes, Casualties,

-The following Michigan Postmesters

-The following Michigan pensions

have been granted:

Original invalid—Hoses Bedunah, St. Joseph;
Daniel Correll, Eureka; Geo, F. Johnson, Kalkasia; Perry W. Foote, Keliogi; Wm. Olinder, Shelby; Jacob M. Losley, Grand Rapids; Williard N. Briggs, Fremont; Sanford E. House, Fowlerville; Wm. P. Hicks, Gresham; Chas. W. Gardner, Fremont; Jas. Gibson, alias Jas. Gibbs, DeWitt; Hiram A. Chapman, Covert; Robinson Norwood, Delton; David Stodard, Webberville; Amos W. Abbey, Petoskoy; Ora. C. Waugh, Owoseo; Geo, H. Russell, Cato; Beastus D. Bobinson, Albion; John H. Thomas, Jackson; Levinas W. Brott, Clover Dale; Arthur S. Gunn, Ovid; Wm. Brown, Union Home; John C. Christensen, Grand Rapids; George East, Cone; Wm. Monroe, Otsego.

Increase—Aaron J. Bufham, Coldwater; John Dountlion, Minden City; Calvin Halladay, Hastings; Melchior H. Sunth, Jackson; Lewis J. Fartridge, Alpena; Wm. E. Thornton, Union City; Harvey Stevans, Vassar; Jacob Hilborn, Crowell; Benjacoin N. Richards, Caro; John Misbet (Schidters' Home, Grand Rapids; Robert G. Mason, Wacousta; Chas, Lauz, Ionia; Alvin T. Lamphere, Coldwater; Patrick Riley, Ypsilanti; Seely Squires, South Monterey; Lemuel Williams, Alanson; Hezekiah Smell, Cass City; George Gunn, Detroit; Ariel C. Spaulling, Caro; William D. Oswald, Hartford; John Agner, Detroit; Wm. C. Farrar, Coldwater; Angelo Pasha, Detroit; John W. Greenman, Leslie; William McDole, Harrison; Albert M. Ormsbee, Milbrook; Lesley Jewell, Wacousta; Purdy H. Green, Detroit; John W. Greenman, Leslie; William McDole, Harrison; Albert M. Ormsbee, Milbrook; Lesley Jewell, Wacousta; Purdy H. Green, Detroit; John & Green M. Purden, Allegan; Almon B. Danlels, Waldron; Winteld S. Plumb, Lansing; George W. Lewis, Allegan.

Restoration and Increase—Fhineas A. Galo, M. Pleasant.

Reissue and Increase—James H. Irish, Mason, Reissue and Increase—Fhineas A. Galo, M. Pleasant.

asant. ue and Increase—James H. Irish, Mase

Reissue—Zimri Brownell, Charlotte; Michael H. Sprinkle, Eaton Rapids; J. H. Richardson

Original Widows — Diantha L., mother of Chester D. Kinney, Holly; Catharine V., widow of Daniel P. Ketchum, Rochester.

held its annual meeting at Lansing last

week. Very little business was trans-

neted, save the election of the following

officers: President, W. R. Knickerbock-

er of Albion: Vice President, C. J. Deroo

-The number of marriage licenses is-

sued in Alpena County during 1889 was

-The barns of Samuel Thompson,

near Berville, St. Clair County, were de-

stroyed by fire with all the contents.

These included one horse, twenty-six

sheep, three hogs, a number of pumps,

-The Alpena Common Council has in-

structed the Comptroller to advertise for

bids for laving a large amount of cedar

block pavement, work to be done the

of Industry have been holding a three

days' secret session at Port Huron.

-The Supreme Trustee of the Patrons

-U. S. Grant Post, G. A. R., of Bay

-Rhodes, Gladwin County, has been

added to Michigan's list of postoffices.

The name of the postoffice at Print, Ben-

zie County, has been changed to Nessen.

ation of Labor for Michigan will convene

at East Saginaw, Feb. 4. Each trades

council or central labor union is entitled

to send three delegates to the convention,

-A prominent farmer in Bay County,

named Humes, got on a quiet little toot

in Bay City, last week, and unintention-

ally took another man's cont. He was

locked up for the crime, and a large por-

tion of the township is scandalized in

-The eleven-year-old daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. Martin Breining, of Washtenaw

County, met her death in a shocking

manner. The little girl was passionately

fond of her father's horses and it was

her habit to pet them whenever occasion

presented. While Mr. Breining was car-

ing for the stock, the little one sought to

assist him by leading the horses to water.

She was returning to the barn with the

halter strap wound around her waist,

when the horse took fright at a hen fly-

ing through the barn door. It wheeled

about and ran into a field, dragging the

unfortunate girl and trampling upon her

at every step. The father rushed out of

the barn, only to see his precious girl

crushed to death under the horse's hoofs,

without his being able to render any cu-

sistance. Life was exinct when he

-The Holly Water Works of Bay City

pumped 944,472,747 gallons of water in

1889. The daily average was 2,587,597.

-George W. Brown, Register of Deeds

and Deputy Treasurer of Arenac County.

was found dead in his bed at Omar, a

bullet-hole in his head and his revolver

in the bed. As everything in and about

appears to be a case of suicide. No res-

-The university of Michigan has two

graduates in the United States Senate

and fifteen in the House, leading all

other institutions of learning in the

for its no thern boundary at its disposal,

yet the Alger County Republican says

that sickness is impending because of

-One wouldn't suppose that a village

River," with the whole of Lake Superior | hold water.

son is known for the act.

a I ck of pure water.

There were ninety-nine fire alarms.

and each local union one.

consequence.

reached her.

-The second convention of the Feder-

City, owns \$1,334 worth of property.

windmills, and sixty tons of hay.

coming summer.

A. Reynolds of Stanton.

-The Michigan Millers' Association

have been confirmed by the United States

GRAYLING, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, JANUARY 16, 1890.

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SOCIETY MEETINGS.

M. E. CHURCH-Rev. J. W Tay'o; Pastor Services at 10:30 o'clock a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunschool at 12 m. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 714 o'clock. All are cor dially invited to attend.

GRAYLING LODGE, No. 355, F. & A. M., steets in regular communication on Thursday svening on or before the fail of the moon fransient members are fraternally invited to J. F. HUM, W. M. Senate, in executive session:

A. E. Bailey, Cassopolia; Harrison Berdan, Charlevolx; H. O. Call, Mason; I. A. Fancher, Mt. Pleasant; S. Foster, Lansing; C. E. Griffey, Negannee; Wm. Harris, Lake Linden; E. S. Horton, Northville; W. H. Hitt, Maniatione; G. W. Jones, Imlay City; S. D. Kirkside, Clark; E. B. Long, Houghton; K. S. Markstrom, Bessemer; J. A. Forry, An fable; E. B. Phinney, East Saginaw; W. F. Patterson, Linden; J. Ross, Hancock; C. C. Stophenson, Escanaba; R. M. Sampson, Norway; C. H. Scott, Gladstone; S. J. Syringer, Plymouth; S. Silvola, Red Jacket; W. W. Snyder, Homer; G. F. Seibert, Iron Mountain; George Tucker, Linguist, M. Sampson, Norway; C. H. Swilliams, Iron Wood; L. J. Wilcox, Bay Cily; Frank McEirey, Marine City; D. Warren, Three Oaks; T. A. Ely, Alma; William Humphrey, Adrian; W. B. Chapell, Corunna; Adam Beattie, Ovid.

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CEDAR STREET,

Tramford Avalanche

or the truth of the incident recounted

-In October, 1884, Mrs. Josephine Fla. dung presented a petition to the Bay City

Common Council asking damages for in-

juries received from a defective walk.

The City Attorney, to whom the matter was referred, reported that the woman

had no claim against the city because she was injured on a sidewalk in front of a

private residence and not upon a crosswalk. The recent decision of the Su-

preme Court has given the woman's at-

torney new hope and a suit has been

commenced against Bay City for \$3,000

-The eleventh annual exhibition of

the State Poultry and Pet Stock Associ-

display of poultry was larger than a year

ago, and the exhibit of other stock was

-The State Board of Agriculture has accepted the new \$7,800 agricultural lab-

oratory at the Agricultural College. The

board has instructed the college farm

managers to adopt stringent measures

against tuberculosis, which is afflicting

some of the thoroughbred cattle on the

-Hon. William S. Tennant, for several

and for many years a practicing attorney

has been sent to the Eastern Asylum for

the Insane at Pontiac. His mind has

-Nathaniel Kellogg is a Bay City man

-Saginaw's new electric motor has

-The little fishes in Thunder Bay are

assembled in annual session at East Sag

-Henry Hamilton was killed in the

woods in Gladwin County recently by the

falling of a tree. He was 50 years old,

had been a Major in the Confederate

service, and had no relatives in that part

-Pansies have been found in bloom

-Wheeler & Company, of Bay City,

have just contracted to build another

-Ottman Eberbach, of Ann Arbor, has

-Monroe County Supervisors will leave

-The laborers in the Bay City ship-

yards are being laid off, awaiting the

-Belva A. Lockwood is tearing up and

-R. A. Montgomery, a Lansing lawyer,

defended the Crouches in the famous

Jackson murder trial, but was never com-

pensated therefor. A few days ago he

got a judgment against Byron Crouch for

-Saginawletter: Lumbermen are not in

and skidding nearly completed and

millions of feet of logs on the skids, but

-Two boys who have been camping

out near Black Lake for the purpose of

sitting in a tree, but did not know what

it was. At the first shot they succeeded

make savage plunges at them, and they

had all they could do to keep out of the

its wings, and was of the bald-headed

-Several citizens of Saginaw City are

endeavoring to raise funds to engage the

services of Albert Track of Saginaw and

Fred A. Baker of Detroit to test the con-

stitutionality of the act of consolidation

of the Saginaws before the Supreme

-Adjutant General Ainger announces

States that Michigan has 2,445 enlisted

men in its service, an increase over last

down the State with the question:

in some of Alpena gardens this year.

shorthorn cow was ordered shot.

been unbalanced for some time.

anatomy away.

perfect

his gill net.

inaw last week.

of the country.

steel steamer.

Board of Pharmacy.

the spring election.

the timber into the yards.

\$703, the full amount due.

there is no snow.

variety.

vear of fifty.

Marriage a Failure?"

up to expectations.

AN INTERESTING AND INSTRUCTIVE LESSON CONSIDERED.

Reflections of an Elevating Character Wholesome Food for Thought - Study-ing the Scriptural Lessons Intelligently and Profitably. The lesson for Sunday, Jan. 19, may be ound in Luke 1: 67-50,

below:

Tuesday morning a well-known Petoskoy lady bade good-by to a number of friends at the depot, repeated for the seventeenth time the list of instructions to her husband, such as to be sure and lock the door, and not to let the house plants freeze, and to put the dog out doors nights, and to leave the key over the window of the sitting-room, and to be sure and shut up the stove when he went out, and to take good care of himself, and be sure to the study of the sitting-room, and to be sure and shut up the stove when he went out, and to take good care of himself, and be sure to write often, etc. etc.; and after remarking to her lady friends that "these men are so forgetful," went in and seated herself in the chair car. Just as the conductor cried "all aboard" she rushed out and exclaimed; "Hold the train, where's my husband? I've forgotten my pocketbook it Run and get it quick!! Why, in my bed-room! Yes, in the bureau, Yes, yes, yes! in the bureau, Yes, yes, yes! in the bureau drawer, my pocketbook with all my money and some checks and drafts! Run! Hurry! Quick!!!" And run he did, while friends held the train. Three minutes later the crowd at the depot was amazed to see one of our most dignified citizens tearing up the platform like mad, his coat tails flapping, his neck-tle loose, his collar unfactored, desperation and perspiration on his brow and a pocketbook waving in his upraised hand. Just as the train mild on he aloced the purse in his wife? found in Luke 1: 67-50.

INTRODUCTORY.

We are given here a sort of echo from the past. It is a testimony of the old dispensation to the new. And what an ardent, wholed hearted declaration it is! Zacharias is lifted up on the wings of prophecy to announce the transcendent blessedness of the day of grace. It is peculiarly the voice of a Jew. and, in one sense, for the Jew. May there be many more of that God-honored race to accept its witness and know with assurance that the dayspring from on high has visited us.

WHAT THE LESSON SATS.

WHAT THE LESSON SATS. His father Zacharias. John the Baptist has just been born and numed under circumstances of providential and prophetic mport.—Filled with the Holy Ghost.

cumstances of providential and prophetic import.—Pilled with the Holy Ghest. Zacharias has been for a time speechless, which was for a sign to him and a judgment as well; but now, under the influence of the Holy Spirit, his tongue is unloosed.—Prophesied. Signifying, originally, to speak for another. His first utterance, after speechlessness, is for God.

Blessed be the Lord God. The Latin Vulgate begins: "Renedictus Dominus Deuis;" hence the word usually applied to this hymn, the Benedictus.—Of Israel. See Variations. This inspired strain has long been considered the key to the Testament prophecy and the connecting link between the voice in the old and the voice in the new.—Visited. Literally, to look upon, like our conventional look in upon. It is directly from this word that our word episcopate comes (epi-skopos.)—Redeemed. Two words in the Greek, made a ransom. I. e., a means of deliverance.

In holiness and righteousness. A possible reference to the realigition of Zeeh. In holiness and righteousness. A possi-ble reference to the prediction of Zech. ation was held at Bay City last week. The | 14: 20,

Biessed be the Lord God of Israel. The prayer begins right—blessing God. So Christ taught us: "Hallowed be thy name." We need scarcely be told that "Zacharias was filled with the Hole Snirit." His netition indicates that blessed presence. It is the same as speaks in the lofty yet lowly prayer of the Virgin: "My soul doth magnify the Lord." Their inspiration, like their hope, is one and the same. It is the initiated word that the Hoty Spirit always teaches to those who come under His gracious influence. "Bless the Lord." O my soul, and all that is with me, bless His boly name!" WHAT THE LESSON TEACHES.

farm. One especially valuable imported ame!"
Visited and redeemed. Not all visits are
uch. There are some that we always
read. They are never less than a visitaon. What is left behind is less and motion. What is left behind is loss and motification rather than help or comfort. Not so God's visits to His faithful people. An untrustful people might fear His coming. To those who hope in Him, His appearance, like that of the kindly patron in the poor household, is the promise of blessin i. God's visits mean redemption. How lon, has it been since His presence has been felt in this church, this school, this community, this houre?

A horn of salvation. A note of prophetic years Circuit Judge of Saginaw County with one arm and a hook. The hook

feit in this church, this school, this community, this home?

A horn of salvation. A note of prophetic fulfillment. From of old that strang; expression had been used as predictive of the day when Isra I's deliverance should come. Sometimes it is of the budding of the horn, significant of new life and vitality in the chosen race. Sometimes it is of the exalting of the horn, referring to the assertion of power and the depths of strongth. Here at last is the promise fulfilled. New life from God has been given, new might imparted. An'i now every time of gracious revival is a budding and exalting of the horn of salvation. We take no part with those who deery a great awakening. We prefer to join heart and hand with those who belleve in the perpetual providence of revivals of religion. Every church, the most prosperous as well as the most backofttimes proves the more dangerous of the of Holland; Secretary and Treasurer, M. | two. Kellogg got into an altercation with a saloonkeeper, and in the racket he fastened the book into the saloonkeeper's cheek, literally tearing that part of his been officially tested, and propounced still tempting the active fisherman with -Michigan's fire-insurance adjusters most prosperous as well as the most backard, needs to ever pray that God will, om time to time, raise up, to his praise, a horn of salvation for us in the house of his servant David.

Since the world began. So, then, prophecy is as old as man. There are no prehistoric fellow-mortals to whom God has not spoken. This is the voice of inspiration, Do you say that science does not find it so? Science seems to be every day yielding more and more to the declarations of dimore and more to the declarations of di-vine truth. Professor Lyell reminds us that in 1806 "the Fr nch Institute enumerated no less than eighty geological theories which were hostile to the Scriptures; but not one of those theories is held to-day." It is better to trust the Lord. Since Eden's earliest day the voice of prophecy has not ceased its first faint note, that pregnant ut-terance, "It shall bruise thy head and thou shall bruise his heel."

To perform the morey promised. What

shalt bruise his heel.

To perform the mercy promised. What is it to perform mercy? Is it anything else than to fulfill the promise given? Mercy is already ours in the pledge and covenant given. It only waits to be executed. For mercy was not simply "promised is a needless interpolation. Morcy was already theirs in the oath sworn with them. And that grace which is ours is theirs, too; for Christ's coming is mercy performed for our fathers as well as for us. The bond that holds us all in one is faith in our Lord Jesus been reappointed a member of the State the subject of a new jail to be settled at coming of snow. It is impossible to get holds us all in one is faith in our Lord Jesus

Christ.

Serve him without fear. It is a little window through which we may catch a glimpse of the times. Fearful times they were. The obscure four hundred years that lie between Malachi and Matthew were years full of wars and oppressions. First threatenings from the East, next threatenings from the North, then threatenings from the West, until Artaxerxes the Persian, and Alexander the Greek, and the Ptolemies on the Nile and the Cresars at Rome have cone their worst. There has been "service," but never "without fear." Nor yet, at once, is the day of unmolested service to dawn. It belongs to those far, fair ages with which are ushered in more and more distinctly the "holiness and rightsousness" which are "before him."

And thou, child. The father's address to Serve him without fear. It is a little wina pleasant frame of mind. Nearly every firm operating in the woods have cutting

before him."

And thou, child. The father's address to his infant son; there is infants tenderness and pathos in it. There is more; the last of the priests is saluting the last of the prophets. Last in one sense, first in another, for John is pre-eminently the harbinger of the new dispensation. The old priest abdicates in favo of the messenger of the kingdom. No more blood of bulls and goats, no more temple sucrifices. The perfect offering is at hand. Henceforth the religious leader of the people is but as a herald 'to go before the face of the Lord to prepare his ways," who in himself is for all time prophet, priest and king.

To give knowledge of salvation. Here is hunting ducks had quite a lively tuesle with a large bald-headed engle, says the Detroit Free Press. They saw the bird

prepare his ways, who in himself is for all time prophet, priest and king.

To give knowledge of salvation. Here is our commission, our sole prerogative as teachers and workers. Away with the blasphemous priest, saying, "Absolve te—"I give the absolution. It is not for man to give salvation. His only "to give knowledge of salvation." We but stand like John with lifted finger and point the way. And how clear and real it is for us all. No payment of ours, no later of hand, no burden of penance. It is a way of simple forgiveness. And so we say to siniaden souls of to-day, just as of old, "Behold the Lamb of God that taketh away the sins of the world." And just as of old, will you not let him take them? in bringing it down with a broken wing, but when they attempted to capture it they found it was not a very easy matter. Whenever they approached the bird would way of its fierce claws and beak. Finding that they could not capture it alive, they shot it, but only succeeded in killing it after having fired half a dozen shots at close range. The ragle measthe office and store was in usual order it ured almost seven feet from tip to tip of

Next Lesson-"Joy Over the Child Jesus."

A RHMARABLE specimen of amber from an unknown locality in Southern Mexico measures four by three by two inches, is perfectly transparent, and is said to be more beautiful than the opal-escent or green amber of Sicily. The natives who bring this amber to the coast report that in the interior it is so rejoicing in the suggestive name of "Rock | Court, they claiming the same will not plentiful as to be used for making would be short on drinking water, and to the Adjutant General of the United

A DEATH notice speaks of the "eldest son" of a couple, and gives his age as five months and three weeks.

-The Petoskey Independent vouches THE SUNDAY SCHOOL. BRICE IS THE NOMINEE. BRITAIN AND PORTUGAL

RESULT FROM THE OHIO SENATORI-AL CAUCUS.

Live'y Contest, Which Soon Terminates When the Legislators Began Voting-The Nominee's Address of Thanks-A

A Columbus (O.) dispatch says: C. S. Brice took the Senatorial prize in the Democratic Legislative caucus on the second ballot. The caucus was called to order by Senator Howells, chairman of the joint caucus committee, and Senator Perry N. Adams of Tiffin was selected Nominating permanent chairman. speeches were limited to five minutes



CALVIN 8. BRICE.

A roll-call showed seventy-three each. of the seventy-seven members present. The absentees were Representatives Brown, Count, Munson, and Smith, Mossrs. Smith and Brown sent letters to the caucus announcing they would support the caucus nominee.

The names of Calvin S. Brice, Charles W. Baker, John A. McMahon, John H. Thomas, James E. Neal, Gen. Samuel F. Hunt and George I. Seney were put in nomination.

The first ballot resulted: Brice, 20;

Thomas, 11; McMahon, 14; Baker, 6; Hunt, 2; Neal, 2; Seney, 2; McSweeney, 4; Geddes, 2; Outhwaite, 1. After the second call of the roll had been begun Senator Corcoran withdrew the name of Hunt and was about to make speech, when he was closed out under the rules and voted for Brice.

were rapid after this and the second ballot resulted: Brice, 53; Thomas, 3; McMahon, 13; Baker, 14; Seney, 2; Outhwalte, 1. Monott, on behalf of Mr. Thomas, moved that the nomination be made unanimous, which was agreed to with a whirl and much enthusiasm.

Col. Brice was brought to the caucus by a committee and the caucus converted itself into a ratification meeting. Brice being introduced said:

"Mr. Chairman and gentlemen of this joint caucus: I tender to you my sin-cere and heartfelt acknowledgments for the greatest honor, it seems to me, to be possible to be bestowed upon a man reared in Ohio in sympathy with her people and her constitution. You will not expect me here and now, at the conclusion of this somewhat exciting contest through which we have passed, to to more than to acknowledge to you the weight of obligations which I bear to you and which I desire here and now to cknowledge. Whether the issue be a temporary one or a protracted one, I know I can test and determine the place where I will stand and where the Democratic party ought to be, [Applause.] Tariff reform is now of great interest. [Applause and cheers.] But, gentlemen, with tariff reform accomplished, new issues will de-

mand the attention of legislators, and where then will be the man whose only elaim to Democracy is that of the temporary issue of a reform of the tax schedule. I think there is no one born and brought up in northwestern Ohio who is more in sympathy with every one and with every industry than I. [Applause.] I have in my time, man and boy, worked with, shared in the tasks and in the struggles and fears of every kind of laboring men in our northwestern country, and I have not lost touch with any one of them, and I include the tem-porary struggle-which I hope will never be repeated in our time-the temporary struggle for the preservation of our union in which I took a part, and I sympathize with the soldiers of our country whose memory I wish to have preserved, not only in legislation but in the hearts of our people.

Col. Brice was followed by Baker Hunt, McMahon, and other unsuccessful competitors. They all accepted the sitnation with good grace and called for united support to the nominee. During the speaking Mrs. Brice, her sister, and a friend came in to witness her husband's triumph. There is less bitterness shown at the conclusion of the present fight than in any that has been waged for the Senatorship in the last twelve years. The after meeting amounted to a jollification, and all signs of a bolt seemed to have disappeared. One of the most pleasant epi-sodes of the after meeting was the finished talk of Gen. Hunt, who gave a brief story of his acquaintance with Brice from boyhood. The committee appointed to bring Mr. Thomas before the caucus was unable to find him. He is probably the most thoroughly disappointed man among the candidates.

Kniffin and Miss. Purcell Released. Trenton (N. J.) difpatch: Dr. Arthur S. Kulffin and Emma Purcell, who are suspected of the murder of Myra Kniffin, were released from jail after a confinement of twenty-five hours. Their counsel, II. N. Barton and Chauncey H. Beazley, secured writs of habeas corpus from Chief Justice Beazley, and they were set free, each furnishing bail in the sum of \$20,000. The coroner's inquest was adjourned until next Monday, the testimony containing nothing of a criminating nature against either of the

The steamer Lake Superior, at Bos-ton from Liverpool, has brought thirty-nine shires and Cleveland bay horses, consigned to Illinois, where they will be used for breeding purposes. The animals were all landed in good condition, notwithstanding a tempestuous

Ar Indianapolis Judge Gresham entered a decree in the case of the Central Trust company of New York and Frank Storgis against the Ohio, Indiana & Western railroad company ordering a foreclosure and sale of the company.

STATUS OF THE MISUNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENTS.

The Last Rites Over the Remains of the Former Empress of Brazil - Sagasta Gives Up His Attempt to Form a New Spanish Cabinet.

Lisbon cable: In Portuguese official circles it is denied that Major Serpa Pinto can rightly be made to bear any responsibility for the fresh difficulties which have arisen with the natives of southeastern Africa. Not only, they say, was Serpa Pinto himself ill at Moz ambique at the time when the revolt broke out, but the bulk of his forces had retired from the district, leaving the natives no immediate cause for their action. The government here believes that the sharp attacks on Portugal appearing in the English press are due to the machina-tions of certain English politicians seeking to force Lord Salisbury into a rup-ture with Portugal. The authorities here are unmoved by this newspaper warfare, but await with anxiety the tone of the debate in the Honse of Comm during its approaching sittings in February. The government has not recalled Sennor Serpa Pinto, who only left Nyassaland to return home in order

to recruit his shattered health. London cable: The British naval squadron is collecting at Zanzibar, and is upposed to be destined for Delagoa bay. Lord Salisbury insists that Portugal must give guarantees to prevent the recurrence of outrages in Africa on British subjects and interests, which, as the situation now is, must interfere with a diplomatic settlement of the misunderstanding between the two countries. The British admiralty has dispatched the Enchantress with sealed orders to the Benbow and Colossus at Gibraltar. The Portugese officials at Quillimane, on the east coast of Africa, have forbid-

den British steamers to receive the British Consul Johnston's dispatches direct, but insist that they must pass through the Portuguese postoffice.

Lisbon cable: The body of the late Empress of Brazil has signed to its final resting place in the pantheon here. The remains were brought by the train from Oporto. Dom Pedro and the family came on the same train. The King and his suite waited at the station and received them. The remains were transferred from the train to the hearse amid salutations of respect from all present. The King then bade farewell to Dom Pedro and returned to the palace. Dom Pedro and his relatives then entered the state carriage and the funeral procession moved to the pan-theon. The representatives of the Emperors of Germany and Austria and of the Regent of Spain, the papal nuncio, the whole diplomatic corps, and the State officials met the cortege at the cathedral. After the dean had proounced absolution the Imperial family followed the coffin to the vault and there heard the remainder of the funeral ser

Madrid cable: Sagasta, having found it impossible to organize a new cabi net, has resigned. The insuperable difficulty was found with the protection-ist Liberals, who demanded that revision of the tariff should be made part of the government program. The Queen has consulted the president of the Cortes and leading statesmen, and it is probable that a provisional cabinet will be formed to pass the budget.

London cable: Great solicitude is reported at Madrid touching the exciting more in connection with the illness of the King and the political combinatio likely to ensue in the event of his death. The best information obtainable to-day was that the royal patient had suffered a turn for the worse.
Yokohama cable: Four survivors

of the American ship Cheeseborough, from Hakodadi to New York, sulphur laden, which encountered a gale in the Pacific and was totally wrecked by running ashore, have arrived here. remainder of the crew, sixteen in num-ber, several were killed by falling of the rigging and others were drowned. survivors escaped with little more than the shirts on their backs. borough was owned in Bath, Me.

AN INTERNATIONAL RAILWAY. Plan for a Road Through Central America and the Isthmus.

A Washington dispatch says: There is a movement on foot now—and the pan-American Congress is made the field of agitation—to build a continuous railroad system beginning at the southermost point of Mexico reached by rail from the United States through Central America and the isthmus and running well down into South America. Mexico will take care of her share of the enterprise and the South American States involved will take care of theirs. In Central America, however, the governments are too poor to do anything except cede large tracts They look to see our Congress supply the money by giving the govern-ment's guarantee to the bonds issued, on the strength of the whole scheme being engineered by American financiers and

THE SIOUX' DEMANDS. John Grass Speaks Before the Senate Indian Committee The delegation of Sioux chiefs ap-

peared before the Senate Indian com-mittee at Washington the other day. John Grass, who acted as spokesman, said they wanted the provisions of the Sioux commission agreement carried out, and also asked indemnity for 8,800 ponies said to have been run off by Gen. Terry a long while ago. Grass then made a earnest onslaught upon the practice of sending Indians to eastern schools. Indian youth, he said, should be educated at schools on or near the reservation. More Indians could be sent to reservation schools and their presence would improve the great mass of Indians. He was asked if the Sloux were ready to accept land in severalty. He replied that they were not, and it would be about fifteen years before they would be ready.

The Patti operatic season at the Chicago Auditorium has closed. The total receipts were over \$232,000 for twenty-twe performances, and the engagement is regarded as the most successful ever played in this country by any troupe. The company play a return engagement

SARA BERNHARDT'S receipts for two performances of "Joan-d'Arc" at Paris were \$6,000.

Dr. CARVER, the champion rifle shot, is dangerously ill in London with pneu-

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IMPORTANT MEASURES CONSIDERED AND ACTED UPON.

it the Nation's Capitol - What Is Being Done by the Senate and House - Old Matters Disposed of and New Ones Con-

ness of special importance was transacted large number of bills were introduced in

houses. Congressman Bynum, of Indians, in-troduced a resolution for the appointment of a special committee to investigate the course of the United States District Attorney at Indiana-olis, especially with reference to the Dudley

offered a preamble and resolution reciting the newspaper report that Mr. Chambers, the newspaper report that Mr. Chambers, the United States District Attorney at Indianapolis, had interfered in his official capacity to prevent the arrest of W. W. Dudley on a charge of feloniously violating the election laws of Indiana at the last Presidential election, and directing the Attorney General to report what instructions the Department of Justice has instructions the Department of Justice has issued to Chambers on the subject, and to furnish copies of the correspondence. He asked that the resolution go over one day, which he would submit some remarks upon it, which was agreed to. Mr. Morgan addressed the Senate on the subject of the bill heretofore introduced by Mr. Butler to provide for the emigration of persons of color from the Southern States. He chosed by declaring it to be the duty of this nation, which once brought the negro in the chains of slavery from Africa, to assiss him to return there and aid in building up the civilization, enlightenment and wealth of his native land. The Senate them went into executive session and shortly after ing up the civilization, enlightenment and wealth of his native land. The Senate then went into executive session and shortly after adjourned. In the House Mr. McComas, of Maryland, offered a resolution that the House freely itself into committee of the whole for the consideration of the District of Columbia appropriation bill, the committee to be governed by the rules of the last Congress. Mr., Breckinridge raised the question of consideration against the resolution. The Breckinridge raised the question of consideration could not be raised against the resolution could not be raised against the resolution because the resolution was in the nature of a motion regulating the business of the House. Mr. Breckinridge appealed from the decision, and yielded the floor to Mr. Carlisle, of Rentucky, who vigorously attacked the Speaker's ruling. After several other speeches had been made a vote was taken and the decision of the Speaker studing. After several other speeches had been made a vote was taken and the decision of the Speaker studing and all the Democrata against it. The House then took up the District of Columbia bill and spent the remainder of the afternoon on its consideration and then adjourned.

AFTER some routine business in the on the 8th inst., Mr. Voorhoes called up the on the sta first, air, voorness cance up has resolution offered by him the previous day in relation to the alleged interference by Mr. Chambers, the United States District Attorney at Indianapolis, to prevent the arrest of W. W. Dudley on a charge of violating the election laws of indians, and proceeded to address the Senate. He spoke of the crime as having inflicted an indelible stain upon the memorable election and impeached the integrity of the political result that followed. It was high time, Mr. Voorhees said, that this episode should be fully understood by the whole people, and that the proper degree of responsibility should be assigned to the instrument by whom it was perpetrated. Mr. Voorhees sent to the clerk's deak and had road the notorious "blocks of five" letter. At the conclusion of Mr. Voorhees' speech a number of unimportant measures were considered, and the Senate then went into executive session and made the following confirmations: Owen A. Luckenbach, Postmaster, Bethlehem, Pa.; John D. Delille, Consul to Bristol. In the House the Speaker laid before that body a letter from the Secretary of the Treasury recommending that the estimated appropriation of 8450,000 for the public building at Fan Francisco be made in a deficiency appropriation bill. The resolution offered by him the previous day in

In the Senate on the 9th inst, the Vice Presi dent presented a communication from Attorney General Miller in response to the resolution adopted by the Senate the previous day.
The Attorney General declares that there have
been no instructions given to District Attorney
Chambers on the subject of the arrest of W. W.
Dudley, and that no communication whatever
has passed between the Department of Justice
and the District Attorney in relation to the
matter. The communication was referred to the
Judiciary Committee. The Senate then
went into executive session and confirmed a
long list of nominations. Among the more important were the following; William P. Hepburn of Iowa, Solicitor of the Tresaury; Charles
S. Zane, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of
Utah; J. G. R. Pitkin of Louisiana, Ministor to
the Argentine Republic; Clark E. Carr, of Hinois, Minister and Consul General to Denmark;
Richard G. Lay of the District of Columbia, Consul General to Ottawa. Consuls—James F. Hartigan of the District of Columbia, at Tricate;
Aulick Palmer of the District of Columbia, ab
Dresden; Edward A. Dinmick of Massachusetta, at Barbadoes. William W. Bates of New
York, Commissioner of Navigation. Samnel V.
Halliday of Pennsylvania, Commissioner of
Customs. District Attorneys—Issae N. Alexander, Northern Onio; Eugene G. Hay, Minnesota. Collectors of Internal Revenue—Albert
E. White, West Virginia; John Stekee, Fourth
District of Michigan.

In opening the House proceedings on the 19th ney General Miller in response to the resolu

In opening the House proceedings on the 10th inst, the Chaplain referred feelingly to the death of Congressman Kelley. Immediately after the reading of the journal O'Neill, of Pennsylvania, announced the death of Mr. Kelley. It was the saddest duty, he said, that had ever devolved upon him. Judge Kelley's death was a porsonal loss to him and a great loss to the nation and the world. He presented texclutions expressing the deep regret and serrow and providing for appropriate service to be held in the Representatives hall at noon on the lith and for the appointment of a committee to attend the funeral in Philadelphia. The resolution was adopted and the following committee appointed: Representatives O'Neill, MoKinley, Cannon, Banks. McKenna, Carlisle, Mills Homan, and Mutchler. An adjournment was then had as an additional mark of respect to the deceased. Vice President Morton appointed Sequators Shorman, Cameron, Manderson, Builsr, and Colquitt to represent the Senate at the funeral of the late Representative Kelley. of Congressman Kelley. Immediately after the

City Legislation.

First City Father-Mr. President, it is high time the city adopted some effective method of clearing snow from the streets, and-

Second Member (catching at a chance for a free excursion)-I understand they have greatly improved appliances

in Chicago.

Third Member—I move a committee be appointed to go to Chicago and study

Fourth Member-It's awful cold in Chicago this time of year. Fifth Member-I move to amend by striking out the word "Chicago" and substituting "Jacksonville, Florida."-

New York Weekly. Punishing Him.

"Oh," said one high school girl to another, "how I do despise that new "The good-looking young man who came this year?"

"Yes; he's horrid, and out of school

he tries to court me. I wish I could get even with him some way."
"Why don't you marry him, dear?"— Merchant Traveler.

"I THINK Cora Fibbery is awful. She eraggerates so." "That's so. Are you going down-town now?" "No. my head aches as though 10,000,000 knives were runing through it. I'll stay and finish this novel."

LET Fortune do her worst, whatever she makes us lose, as long as she never makes us lose our honesty and our inlependeque,-Pope.

THERE are no laws against the fools, ecause fools make the laws.